

Exhibit 1



**TEXAS & SOUTHWESTERN CATTLE RAISERS ASSOCIATION
LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION
REPORT OF INVESTIGATION**

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| File No. 23-01-018C | Date of Report: 05/08/2023 |
| Charge: Cattle Inspection County: Parmer Victim: Cory Don Priest Date of Offense: 04/18/2023 | Submitting Investigator: Special Ranger Chris Ward District No. 01 Type: INVESTIGATION Program: NON CRIMINAL |
| Case Status: CLOSED | Report Re: CATTLE INSPECTION ORN: |
| Total Head Count: 523 | Total Value: \$523,000.00 |
| Livestock: CATTLE Sex: YEARLING Head Count: 523 Value: \$523,000.00 Detail: Lot Numbers: 927, 932, 933, 942, 943, 1603, 1606, 1607 Brand: // on left hip | |
| Livestock: NONE Sex: NONE Head Count: | Value: \$ Detail: Brand: |
| Livestock: NONE Sex: NONE Head Count: | Value: \$ Detail: Brand: |
| Misc: NONE MFG: | Item Count: Value: \$ Identifying Marks: |
| Equip: NONE MFG: | VIN: Value: \$ Color: Registration: |

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SYNOPSIS

On 04/18/2023, I, Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, Special Ranger Chris Ward traveled to a starter yard operated by McClain Farms in Friona, Texas. At that location, I inspected cattle for Cory Don Priest.

CROSS REFERENCE REPORT #23-01-017C, 23-01-019C, 23-01-020C, 23-01-021C, 23-01-022C, and 23-01-023C

DETAILS

1. On 04/18/2023, I, Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, Special Ranger Chris Ward traveled to a starter yard operated by McClain Farms in Friona, Texas. At that location, I inspected cattle for Cory Don Priest. This yard is located west of Friona approximately 2.5 miles on Farm to Market 2013 and 1.5 miles north on County Road 15. (GPS coordinates 34.6692 / -102.7749)
2. I noted that the cattle inspected were all marked with Mr. Priest's, Double Slash brand on the left hip, and had Lot Number tags that matched the documentation presented by Mr. Priest.
3. The following loads contained cattle inspected with the Double Slash brand. (Mr. Priest arranged for the trucks used to transport the cattle.)
 - A. Five Truck loads of 80 head each.
 - B. One Truck load of 84 head.
 - C. One Truck load of 39 head.
4. Total cattle inspected was 523 head.
5. File closed.

EVIDENCE

- Scanned copy of Inspection Report #3339 (Attached at end of Report)

VICTIM / COMPLAINANT


1. Cory Don Priest
899 Rosenthal Rd.
Lorena, Texas 76655
254-715-3197


WITNESSES & INVESTIGATORS

1. Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association
Special Ranger Chris Ward
PO Box 88
Clarendon, Texas 79226
806-205-0119

2. Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association
Special Ranger Garry Brewer
PO Box 53931
Lubbock, Texas 79453
806-778-9153
3. Parmer County Sheriff's Office
Deputy Bobby Martinez
300 4th Street
Farwell, Texas 79325
806-481-3303

SUSPECT / PERSON OF INTEREST

1. Brian Keith McClain (DBA McClain Farms, 7M Feeders, and McClain Feed Yard)
W/M DOB 11/18/1970 (Deceased 04/18/2023)
824 Mullins Lane
Benton, Kentucky 42025


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CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION

Owner Cory Don Priest
(print name)

Address 899 Rosenthal Rd
Lorenz

State TX Zip 76655

Inspected at McClain Farms County of Parmer

Species Beef Sex mixed DOB N/A

Approx. weight _____ No. Head 523 ~~523~~

Description Mostly Black Feeders

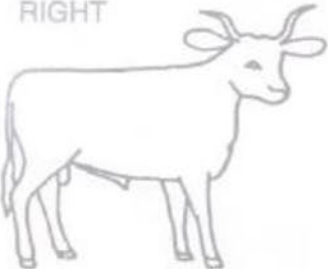
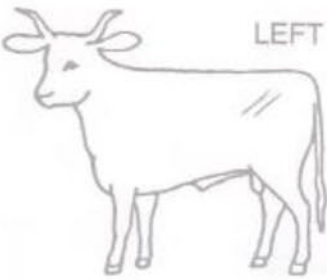
Trucking Co. Owner Provided

Inspection Fee \$ _____ Total Fee \$ _____

Destination _____

Remarks See Cross Ref. 23-01-017C
Lot #'s 1606, 1603, 1607,
932, 933, 942, 943, 927
Branded LH //

This form void after one year from date of ownership
Invalid without red TSCRA Seal

RIGHT

LEFT


Inspector C WARD
Date 4/18 2023

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